



AF/IFW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 2816  
Examiner : Kenneth B. Wells  
Serial No. : 10/648,022  
Filed : August 26, 2003  
Inventor : Christopher N. Brindle

Customer No. 26794

Title : SERIES/SHUNT SWITCH  
: AND METHOD OF CONTROL

Docket No.: 17987  
[TYC-02-1522R]  
Confirmation No.: 3501  
Dated: January 30, 2007

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

**Mail Stop AF**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated October 31, 2006 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1, 2, 6 – 11, 13 – 15, 18 and 19.

Enclosed herewith is our check in the amount of \$500.00 to cover the fee for filing of the Notice of Appeal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2719. A duplicate copy of this Notice of Appeal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard L. Cruz  
Reg. No. 52,783

RLC/nn  
(215) 656-2446

02/02/2007 HWOJDGE1 00000048 10648022

01 FC:1401

500.00 DP